

Rosa's Animal Adventure: ¡Vamos a los Animales!

Learning objective: To identify and use common animal vocabulary in Spanish and apply them to simple sentence structures.

Rosa the parrot wants to help you learn your Spanish animal names! Look at the 'Word Bank' below. Your task is to complete the sentences by choosing the correct animal name in Spanish. Then, write a short sentence describing one of the animals using the provided color adjectives: 'rojo' (red), 'azul' (blue), or 'verde' (green).

Word bank: el perro (dog) · el gato (cat) · el pájaro (bird) · el pez (fish) · el elefante (elephant) · el león (lion)

1. 1. Mi mascota favorita es _____. (My favorite pet is the dog.) (2 marks)

2. 2. En el océano, puedo ver _____. (In the ocean, I can see the fish.) (2 marks)

3. 3. _____ es un animal muy grande. (The elephant is a very big animal.) (2 marks)

4. 4. _____ vive en la selva y es el rey. (The lion lives in the jungle and is the king.) (2 marks)

5. 5. Write a Spanish sentence describing an animal from the list using a color (e.g., 'El pájaro es azul'). (2 marks)

Draw: Draw your favorite animal from the list in its natural habitat and label it with its Spanish name.

Extension challenge: Can you find out how to say 'The animal is fast' (El animal es rápido) or 'The animal is slow' (El animal es lento) in Spanish? Write these down and see if you can categorize the animals from the word bank by speed.